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ABSTRACT

The annotated directory lists approximately 46 national and state resources, and organizations as of June, 1973 which serve gifted and talented children and youth. The listings include region or state covered, name of person or office to contact, name of organization or office, telephone number, and in some cases a short description of function and/or services. National resources listed include the Office of the Gifted and Talented (U.S. Office of Education), which coordinates federal leadership, and the ten regional offices of education responsible for educaton of gifted and talented children and youth. Also listed are the National State Training Institute on Gifted and Talented, a federally funded program to provide leadership training and technical assistance to education through state agencies; the National Clearinghouse for the Gifted and Talented, a section of the Council for Exceptional Children, which acquires, synthesizes and disseminates information; and the Alliance for Arts Education, a project to develop programs for the talented in the area of fine arts. Additionally listed are five national organizations (such as the Association for the Gifted and the Gifted Child Research Institute); 13 state resources, which provide multiple services; and 14 state organizations. (Additional information on other supportive national organizations with specific interests in gifted and talented children and youth may be obtained from the National Clearinghouse for the Gifted and Talented). (MC)

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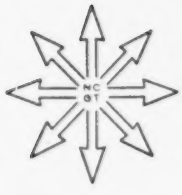

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NATIONAL RESOURCES FOR THE GIFTED AND TALENTED

Office of the Gifted and Talented

Office of the Gifted and Talented
U.S. Office of Education
Washington, D.C. 20202
202/962-4038

The Office of the Gifted and Talented was established in response to the findings of the 1971 Report to the Congress, Education of the Gifted and Talented. The office coordinates federal leadership in education of the gifted and talented.

Each of the ten regional offices of education have personnel with assigned responsibilities in the area of education of the gifted and talented.

Region I: Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, Vermont

Harvey Liebergott
U.S. Office of Education, Region I
John F. Kennedy Federal Building
Government Center
Boston, Massachusetts 02203
617/223-5453

Region II: New Jersey, New York, Puerto Rico, Virgin Islands

Robert H. Seitzer, Commissioner
U.S. Office of Education, Region II
Federal Building
26 Federal Plaza
New York, New York 10007
212/264-4370

Roger W. Ming, Supervisor
Education for the Gifted
State Education Department
Room 314A, Main Building
Albany, New York 12224
518/474-4973

Region III: Delaware, District of Columbia, Maryland, Pennsylvania, Virginia, West Virginia

Joseph Hendrick
U.S. Office of Education, Region III
401 North Broad Street
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19108
215/597-1011

Region IV: Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Mississippi, North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee

Ellen Lyles
Program Officer
Vocational Technical Education
U.S. Office of Education, Region IV
50 Seventh Street, N.E., Room 550
Atlanta, Georgia 20223
404/526-5311

Region V: Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, Minnesota, Ohio, Wisconsin

Richard H. Naber
U.S. Office of Education, Region V
HEW-OE 32nd Floor
300 South Wacker Drive
Chicago, Illinois 60606
312/353-1743

Region VI: Arkansas, Louisiana, New Mexico, Oklahoma, Texas

James R. Frazier
U.S. Office of Education, Region VI
1114 Commerce Street
Dallas, Texas 75202
214/749-2634

Region VII: Iowa, Kansas, Missouri, Nebraska

Harold Blackburn
Assistant Regional Commissioner
U.S. Office of Education, Region VII
Federal Office Building
601 East 12th Street
Kansas City, Missouri 64106
816/374-2528

Region VIII: Colorado, Montana, North Dakota, South Dakota, Utah, Wyoming

John Runkel
Director, School Systems
U.S. Office of Education, Region VIII
Federal Office Building, Room 9017
1961 Stout Street
Denver, Colorado 80202
303/837-3676

Region IX: American Samoa, Arizona, California, Guam, Hawaii, Nevada, Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands

Mary Ann Clark Faris
Information Officer
U.S. Office of Education, Region IX
Federal Office Building
50 Fulton Street
San Francisco, California 94102
415/556-3441

Region X: Alaska, Idaho, Oregon, Washington

Robert A. Radford
Director, Urban and Community Education Programs
U.S. Office of Education, Region X
Mail Stop 628
1321 Second Avenue
Seattle, Washington, 98101
206/442-0450

National/State Leadership Training Institute on the Gifted and Talented

National/State Leadership Training Institute
on the Gifted and Talented
316 West Second Street, Suite 708
Los Angeles, California 90012
213/489-7470

This federally funded program aims to provide leadership training and technical assistance to the education of gifted and talented, primarily through state education agencies.

National Clearinghouse for the Gifted and Talented

National Clearinghouse for the Gifted and Talented
The Council for Exceptional Children
1411 South Jefferson Davis Highway, Suite 900
Arlington, Virginia 22202
703/521-8820

The clearinghouse acquires, synthesizes, and disseminates information relevant to the education of the gifted and talented.

Alliance for Arts Education

Alliance for Arts Education
John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts
2700 F Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20007
202/254-3250

A project sponsored jointly by the Office of Education and the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts to coordinate national and regional efforts to develop programs for the talented in the field of the fine arts.

NATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS FOR THE GIFTED AND TALENTED

The Association for the Gifted (TAG)

The Association for the Gifted
The Council for Exceptional Children
1411 South Jefferson Davis Highway, Suite 900
Arlington, Virginia 22202
703/521-8820

A Division of the Council for Exceptional Children since 1958, the Association for the Gifted (TAG) plays a major part in helping both professionals and parents deal more effectively with the gifted and talented. TAG conducts annual national and regional conferences and provides current information to members and affiliate organizations.

National Association for Gifted Children

National Association for Gifted Children
8080 Springvalley Drive
Cincinnati, Ohio 45236
513/631-1777

A professional organization with membership open to parents, NAGC conducts inservice training and consultation services for schools. The organization also holds an annual conference and publishes The Gifted Child Quarterly.

The Gifted Child Research Institute

The Gifted Child Research Institute
300 West 55th Street
New York, New York 10019
212/541-7059

The American Association for the Gifted

The American Association for the Gifted
15 Gramercy Park
New York, New York 10003
212/473-4266

This organization consists of a small group of professional personnel who meet annually to discuss the various problems facing the education of the gifted. They have assisted in publication of texts and articles on the gifted.

The Council of State Directors of Programs for the Gifted

Joyce Runyon, President
The Council of State Directors of Programs for the Gifted
Florida State Department of Education
319 Knott Building
Tallahassee, Florida 32304
904/599-5807

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Additional information on other supportive national organizations with specific interests in the gifted and talented, such as MENSA, National Science Foundation, National Endowment for the Humanities, and National Endowment for the Arts, may be obtained by writing to the National Clearinghouse for the Gifted and Talented.

STATE RESOURCES FOR THE GIFTED AND TALENTED

State programs vary considerably in their ability to provide service to the gifted and talented. The states included in the list below were chosen for their ability to provide multiple services.

Northern California

Consultant for Mentally Gifted
California State Department of Education
721 Capitol Mall
Sacramento, California 95814
916/445-4036

Southern California

Consultant for Mentally Gifted
California State Department of Education
214 West First Street, Room 803-A
Los Angeles, California 90012
213/620-4224

Connecticut

Consultant for Gifted and Talented
Connecticut State Department of Education
P. O. Box 2219
Hartford, Connecticut 06115
203/566-2492

Florida

Consultant for the Gifted
Florida State Department of Education
319 Knott Building
Tallahassee, Florida 32304
904/599-5807

Georgia

Consultant for the Gifted
Georgia State Department of Education
State Office Building
Atlanta, Georgia 30334
404/656-2414

Illinois

Director
Programs for the Gifted
Illinois State Office of Public Instruction
316 South Second Street
Springfield, Illinois 62706
217/525-7830

Minnesota

Consultant
Gifted and Talented Division
Minnesota State Department of Education
500 Cedar Avenue
St. Paul, Minnesota 55101
612/296-4072

Nebraska

Consultant for Gifted and Talented
Nebraska State Department of Education
233 South Tenth Street
Lincoln, Nebraska 68508
402/471-2477

New York

Consultant
Special Education - Gifted
State Department of Education
Albany, New York 12224
518/474-4973

North Carolina

Gifted Child Section
North Carolina State Department of Public Instruction
Raleigh, North Carolina 27602
919/829-3931

Pennsylvania

Programs for Gifted and Talented
Pennsylvania Department of Education
P. O. Box 911
Harrisburg, Pennsylvania 17126
717/787-4714

Rhode Island

Education for the Gifted
Special Education, Department of Education
Roger Williams Building
Providence, Rhode Island 02908
401/277-3037

Virginia

Special Education
State Department of Education
Richmond, Virginia 23216
703/770-2674

STATE ORGANIZATIONS FOR THE GIFTED AND TALENTED

A selection of state organizations for the gifted and talented is listed below. Additional information on local county and school organizations may be obtained by writing to the National Clearinghouse for the Gifted and Talented.

California Association for the Gifted
Ruthe Lundy, President
School of Education
California State University at Long Beach
Long Beach, California 90801
213/373-2739

California Parents for the Gifted
Beverly King
5521 Reseda Boulevard, Suite 10
Tarzana, California 91356
213/345-1356

Connecticut Association for the Gifted
Rudolph Polh, President
Southern Connecticut State College
New Haven, Connecticut 06515
203/397-2101

Florida Association for the Gifted
Dorothy A. Sisk
University of Southern Florida
Special Education
Tampa, Florida 33620
813/974-2100

Georgia Association for Gifted Education
Marjorie Hatten, President
P. O. Box 557
Alamo, Georgia 30411

Massachusetts Commission on the Academically Talented
Joseph Plouffe, Chairman
Brockton Public Schools
Brockton, Massachusetts 02402
617/588-7800

Michigan Association for the Academically Talented, Inc.
517 Chamberlain Street
Flushing, Michigan 48433
313/659-5126

Minnesota Council for the Gifted
Barbara Ross
4567 Gaywood Drive
Minnetonka, Minnesota 55331
612/935-8055

Nebraska Association for the Gifted
John Dudley, President
Lincoln Public Schools
Administration Building
Lincoln, Nebraska 68508
402/475-1081, Extension 273

The Gifted Child Society, Inc.
Gina Ginsberg, Executive Secretary
59 Glen Gray Road
Oakland, New Jersey 07436
201/337-7058

Ohio Association for the Gifted
Betty J. McMillan, President
2320 McKinley Avenue
Lakewood, Ohio 44107
216/226-0610

Pennsylvania Association for the Study and
Education of the Mentally Gifted
Eugene Hammer, President
Wilkes College
Wilkes Barre, Pennsylvania 18703
717/824-4651, Extension 279

Texas Association for the Education of the Gifted
E. Beatrice Hall, Executive Director
P. O. Box 547
Austin, Texas 78767
512/472-4063

State Advisory Committee for the Gifted and Talented
Richard Mould
Superintendent of Public Instruction
Division of Curriculum Instruction
Old Capitol Building
Olympia, Washington 98504
206/753-3222